[illegible] DAILY PROGRESS

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[illegible] Wake [illegible] Place of Col. [illegible], deceased, was duly qualified, and took his seat.

[illegible]

[illegible] on motion [illegible] at 11 o'clock.

[illegible]

The Committee on the subject of purchase of a cotton card machine [illegible] of Macon, Hillsboro', [illegible] and Wilmington.

On motion the Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock, Wednesday.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

[illegible]

The Speaker called the House to order at [illegible] o'clock.

[illegible]

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Hon. [illegible], transmitting a [illegible] to take [illegible] of the Peace under forty-five years old, and also the exemption of [illegible]. Referred to the Committee on [illegible].

By Mr. [illegible], a resolution to appoint a Select Committee of five [illegible] to enquire if any such protection [illegible] to the general health of the people may [illegible] to prevent the spread of small pox.

By Mr. Lane, a resolution requesting the Governor to communicate to the House, if not inconsistent with the public interest, such reports as he may have from General Officers [illegible] the late raids of the enemy in the Eastern portion of North Carolina. Concurred in.

Mr. Waddell introduced a bill to stop interest on any debt where a tender of payment has been made in Confederate [illegible].

Mr. McCormick introduced a bill to amend an act passed at the present session of the General Assembly amending an ordinance of the Convention to provide relief for the families of deceased soldiers.

Under a suspension of the rules the bill passed its several readings and was ordered to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Henry, of Bertie, introduced the following resolutions which were ordered to be printed and made the special order for [illegible] o'clock, Thursday next.

Resolved, By the House of Commons of the General Assembly of North Carolina, that the language used by the Richmond *Enquirer* and other ill-tempered partisan papers out of and in the State, towards the Legislature of North Carolina, is alike *slanderous*, *censorious* and *unjust*, and deserves the scorn and contempt of every honest true hearted son of North Carolina.

Resolved, That it is with ill grace that any Richmond paper seeks to defame the Legislature of North Carolina or any portion of her people, so long as they owe the very existence of their city, and the protection of its people and homes, chiefly, to the gallant troops of North Carolina.

Be it further Resolved, That North Carolina is a free and independent sovereign State, and will use all constitutional means to defend her rights and liberties from insult and oppression from whatever quarter it may come.

The Speaker laid before the House the resignation of Mr. Baldwin, member from Columbus.

Mr. Shepherd announced the death of one of the members from Craven.

Writs of election were ordered to fill the vacancies, on the 29th instant.

Mr. [illegible] introduced a bill, to legalize the proceedings of a county court of Lincoln county, said proceedings having been irregular. Passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. [illegible] introduced a bill relative to the emancipation of slaves, by last will and testament. Referred.

Mr. Henry, of Bertie, a bill to authorize the Governor to employ a messenger for the Executive office. Passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

The Speaker laid before the House communications from the counties of Catawba, relative to conscripts; and from Burke, relative to the refusal of a bank or banks to receive [illegible].

Mr. Shepherd moved that a message be sent to the Senate proposing to suspend the joint order, to appoint [illegible] of the House this day, until Saturday next. Subsequently the announcement agreed to by the Senate, the House having received a message to that effect.

Mr. [illegible] introduced a resolution instructing our Senators, and requesting our Representatives in Con- [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. [illegible] introduced a resolution in favor of [illegible] arrears [illegible].

Mr. [illegible] asked and obtained leave of absence for [illegible] days.

Mr. [illegible] introduced a bill to amend an act [illegible]

[illegible]

On motion of Mr. [illegible], the House took up [illegible] a bill to [illegible] tax on [illegible]. The bill passed its second and third readings.

On motion of Mr. McCormick, the House took up for consideration a bill to incorporate the Western North Carolina Copper Mining and Smelting Company.

An amendment proposed by the committee was concurred in, and the bill passed its second and third readings.

Mr. Waddell moved a suspension of the rules, [illegible] for adjournment. Carried, and the House adjourned until ten o'clock, to-morrow morning.

YANKEE ACCOUNT OF THE BATTLE OF MURFREESBORO'.

The New York *Tribune* of the [illegible] inst. has a long letter giving an account of what it calls "Friday's fighting [illegible]." The account says, that "at the close of Wednesday's battle, the rebels occupied the ground held by our forces in the morning, and [illegible] pieces of our artillery, and taken several thousand prisoners. They could then fairly claim a victory." The account continues:

The doubling of our right on the centre, with the consequent disarrangement of the entire line, and mixing up of the different portions of the army, together with the total disorganization of a portion of the right could but produce confusion in the whole army. The weakness arising from this and the loss of artillery manifestly compelled Gen. Rosecrans to act on the defensive until he could reorganize his troops and make up for the loss of men and material by reinforcements from Nashville, where the fine division of Gen. Mitchell, composed largely of veteran troops, had remained in garrison. Both Thursday and Friday the rebels were the assailants.

On Thursday morning the enemy again appeared to prepare for flanking our right. To forestall this, our right was strengthened and extended. Finding the right well protected, the enemy turned to attack our centre, but was repulsed and severely punished by the left of Thomas and the right of Crittenden's.

Later in the day the right of the centre was again unsuccessfully attacked. The greater portion of the afternoon on both sides was spent in sharp skirmishing and manoeuvering for position.

During Friday night Gen. Rosecrans managed to throw a brigade across Stone River, on the left. The enemy allowed it to remain undisturbed until between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when simultaneous with an attack upon our centre, a greatly superior body fell upon it and drove it back across the river. Two divisions came to its support. A desperate conflict ensued, which a charge of our troops (during which a Rebel Battery was captured by Pennsylvanians) turned into a defeat of the enemy. Gen. Rosecrans, perceiving the advantage gained, ordered an advance of the whole line, which was made for some distance, until night interposed. The result of Friday's fighting was decided in our favor.

Here the correspondent closes, but the *Tribune* remarks editorially:

We have no means of judging whether General Rosecrans was in condition on Saturday morning to follow up the advantage secured on Friday afternoon. That another battle was unavoidable to bring the contest to a successful issue on our side, seems evident. The dispatches of the Associated Press relative to the events of Saturday are confused and contradictory, and we have nothing later from our special correspondent than his account of Friday's battle. We trust and pray that the dispatch, purporting to come from the Post Commander at Nashville, announcing our troops victorious on Saturday, and south of Murfreesboro', in pursuit of the enemy, will turn out true. In that event, the news of the destruction of the bridges on the Tennessee and East Virginia Railroad, by an incursion of our cavalry from Southern Kentucky, just confirmed from rebel sources, will render the ultimate chances for the escape of Bragg's army from destruction very slim.

"PUNCH" ON THE WAR.—The London Punch has a very excellent cut representing Jeff Davis and Lincoln at a game of cards, on a barrel of gunpowder. Old Abe, with furious aspect and hair erect like the quills of the fretful porcupine, has his last card—the Black Ace—raised on high, whilst Jeff, with elbow on the board and the corner of his card resting on his nose, gives his antagonist a most wicked leer from under the front piece of his cap, appearing to say: Play on, old fellow; the last card don't help you out of the scrape. Another cut represents Old Abe's perplexity with the negro. He is seated in a room of the White House, with his hands resting on his knees and a most woe begone expression on his face, whilst a big buck negro in his shirt sleeves and bare-foot, with arms folded, head thrown back and one foot on the table in close proximity to Abraham's nose, interrogates him as follows: "Now, den, Massa Linkum, what you goin' to do wid dis child? Eh?

AUCTION AND PRIVATE SALES.

SALE POSTPONED.

THE SALE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSE AND [illegible] property of the late [illegible] postponed until further notice. [illegible]

HOUSE AND LOT IN CHAPEL HILL FOR SALE.

HAVING DETERMINED TO MOVE TO THE COUNTRY, I offer for sale, privately, my House and Lot in Chapel Hill.

The Lot contains one and three quarter acres, situated in a pleasant and convenient part of the village. The House, (almost new,) contains seven well arranged rooms, also has Double Kitchen and other out houses on the premises.

Any person wishing a pleasant home in a [illegible] village, will find it here. Possession given immediately. [illegible]

I will sell my HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN furniture with the house and lot if desired.

Jan 15-[illegible] E. U. YANCEY.

RAILROAD STOCK FOR SALE.

WILL BE SOLD ON THURSDAY THE 22D JANUARY next at the Court House, in Raleigh, Nine Shares of Stock in the North Carolina Railroad Company, and Ten Shares of Stock in the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company.

Jan 13-td KEMP P. BATTLE, Adm'r.

[illegible]

[illegible]

C. G. YATES,
Greensboro', N. C.

Jan [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS.

W. R. RICHARDSON & CO.,
STOCK BROKERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
RALEIGH, N. C.
[*Office on Fayetteville Street.*]

WILL GIVE PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO sales and purchases of State and Confederate Bonds, Bank and other Stocks, collection of Claims, and any business connected with the different departments of the State government.

Bank notes of all Southern States bought and sold.

REFERENCES.

O G Parsley, Wilmington.
W A Wright, do.
John D Williams, Fayetteville.
W G Broadfoot, do.
J J Blackwood, Charlotte.
W K Lane, Wayne county.
John D Whitford, Craven county.
Hon Thomas Ruffin, Alamance county.
Hon W N Edwards, Warren county.
Hon D W Courts, Rockingham county.
H W Guion, Lincoln county.
And citizens of Raleigh generally. Jan 14 tf

EXCHANGE NOTICE, NO. 4.

RICHMOND, VA., JAN. 10, 1863.

THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS AND MEN HAVE been duly exchanged, and are hereby so declared.

1. All officers and men captured in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida and South Carolina, up to December 10th, 1862.

2. All officers and men captured in Missouri, Kansas, New Mexico, Arizona, Arkansas and Louisiana up to January 1st, 1863.

3. The two foregoing sections apply not only to officers and men of the Confederate service, but also to all persons captured in arms or hostile array against the United States, whatever may have been the character of the military organizations to which they were attached, and whatever may have been the terms of the paroles given by them. If any are in Federal prisons, they are to be immediately released, and delivered to the Confederate authorities.

4. All Confederate officers and men who have been delivered at City Point up to January 6th, 1863.

5. All Confederate officers and men who have been delivered at Vicksburg up to December 23d, 1862, and including said date.

6. All paroled Confederate officers and men receipted for at Vicksburg up to December 23d, 1862, and including said date.

7. All Confederate officers and men captured and paroled at Fredericksburg, Va., in December, 1862.

8. All Confederate officers and men captured and paroled at Goldsboro' N. C., in December, 1862.

10. Other miscellaneous and minor exchanges, of which the appropriate officers will be duly informed.

ROBERT OULD,
Agent of Exchange.

Jan. 12-6t

PIANO FORTES.

JAMES PIRSSON, PIANO FORTE MANUFACTURER, respectfully informs the public that he has established himself in Raleigh, and offers his services to all those who wish their Pianos skillfully and thoroughly tuned or repaired. Orders left at the Book Store of W. L. Pomeroy, Esq., or at Mr. Pirsson's residence in Hargett street, nearly opposite the Fair Grounds, will meet with prompt attention.

N. B.—Piano Fortes bought and sold. Mr. Pirsson refers to Rev. Dr. Smedes and Professor Hanson.

Jan 13-tf

MISS PIRSSON

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCES TO THE CITIZENS of Raleigh that she intends taking Pupils on the PIANO FORTE and in SINGING. Those who are already advanced in music would be preferred. Terms made known on application at her residence in Hargett street, nearly opposite the Fair Ground. Jan 13-tf

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 4, 1862.

LEAD WANTED.—I WISH TO PURCHASE LEAD for this department. Persons having large or small quantities will please apply to me.

THOS. D. HOGG, CAPT. C. S.
In charge of Ordnance.

Dec. 5-tf

NOTICE.

STRAYED FROM FRANKLINTON, N. C., MY CREAM COLORED HORSE, with black mane and tail, and a SORREL MULE, about three years old. Fifty dollars reward will be paid for their delivery at this place, or a reasonable reward for their confinement where I can get them.

Jan 12-1m* PETER PERSON.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO PRESENT THEMSELVES at the office of the Surgeon General, between the hours of 9 and 10 a. m., will be vaccinated free of charge.

EDWARD WARREN,
Surgeon General of N. C.

Dec 20-tf

$200 REWARD.

RANAWAY FROM THE WASHINGTON COMpany Salt Works, Virginia, on Christmas night last, two negro men, AMOS and ALFRED. They were purchased of Wm. Mays, near Newbern, N. C., and it is supposed they are making their way back. Five negroes belonging to the said Mays also ranaway at the same time, and all may now be together. I will pay $200 for their arrest and delivery in any jail so that I can get them, or $100 for the arrest of either. Address,

J. N. CLARKSON,
Saltville, Washington county, Va.

Jan 9 2w*

WHISKY! WHISKY!

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS SEVENTEEN BARRELS of good old CORN WHISKY, which he offers for sale by the barrel. You can find him by calling at H. L. Evans' Store.

Jan 15-1w W. H. H. TUCKER.

RICE.

10 TIERCES RICE FOR SALE BY
GEORGE ALLEN,
Green'boro', N. C.

Jan 15-1m

[illegible]

THE FOLLOWING NAMED [illegible] to join their Companies [illegible] being absent without leave, or having [illegible] beyond their furloughs:

Company A.
Privates J E Hunter
M W H [illegible], of Union county
Company B
Privates D W Conrad
Wm [illegible]
J W Headrick
J Terry
A Wilkerson, of Davidson county
Company C
Privates H S Arthurs
W H Boyer
A J [illegible]
D [illegible]
C A [illegible]
J A M Gibson
J S Leonard
D Keistler
[illegible]
J W Orbison
C S [illegible]
D Scroggs
[illegible]
J T Torrence, of Iredell county
Company D
Corporal J M [illegible]
Privates J C [illegible]
[illegible]
J Wood
R A Spence
W Craven
E Wallace
W Williamson, of Moore county
Company E
Privates C W Anderson
J Davis
M King
J Lee
H J Yarborough, of Union county
Company F
Privates T McDowell
W Evans
L R Ferguson
G S Richardson
P Wolf
T Fowler, of Union county
Company G
Privates J Y Field
T A Holt

J [illegible]
S A [illegible]
[illegible]
A Craig
L L [illegible]
J [illegible]
[illegible]
W [illegible]
J [illegible]
J B Abernethy
J W [illegible], of Chatham county
Company H
Privates A S [illegible]
J L [illegible]
[illegible]
R [illegible]
W Johnson
H Leonard
B Leonard
S F Myers
L [illegible]
S [illegible]
J [illegible], of Davidson county
Company I
Privates W [illegible]
[illegible]
Company K
Privates [illegible]
[illegible]
R Brown
W Kapp
W [illegible]
A S [illegible]
E [illegible]
S Venable
H Crouch
[illegible]
B Green
J Atwood
F L Reynolds
R Smith
N [illegible]
W [illegible], of Forsythe county

Hospital Steward, L L Johnson

These men must be at this post within ten days after the publication of this order, or they will be reported as deserters.

By order of Col. R. C. HILL:

Jan 20-10t J. R. WINCHESTER, Act'g Adj't.

Standard and Register, [illegible] Charlotte Bulletin and State Journal, each 10 times, and send bills immediately to Progress.

Headquarters [illegible] N. C. Regiment,
Goldsboro', N. C., Dec. 18, 1862.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

ALL OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS OF THIS REGIMENT able to join it at this place, will do so immediately. Those whose sick leaves have expired and are still unfit for duty must come here to have them renewed. Those unable to travel will forward certificates to that effect.

Failing in this their names will be furnished to the Colonels of Militia for arrest and confinement at Raleigh for trial as deserters.

Certificates of unfitness for duty will not exempt the holder from reporting in person.

By order of Col. R. C. HILL,

Jan 20-10t J. R. WINCHESTER, Act. Adj't.

Standard and Register, each 3 times, Charlotte Bulletin, State Journal, each 10 times, and send bills to Progress office immediately.

Headquarters Cavalry Brigade,
JANUARY, 15TH, 1863.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. —

THE GENERAL COMMANDING ANNOUNCES TO all absentees from his Brigade, that should they voluntarily report for duty within fifteen days from the publication of this order, that is before the 1st of February next, no charges will be instituted against them for past delinquencies.

This does not include commissioned officers, whose example, in several instances, has been injurious to the men.

By order of Brig. Gen. B. H. Robertson.

Jan 20-15t WM. A. WORTHINGTON, A. D. C.

Adj't and Inspector General's Office,
RICHMOND, Jan. 3, 1863.

GENERAL ORDERS,
No. 2.

I. THE FOLLOWING ORDERS ARE PUBLISHED for the information and guidance of all concerned: Recognizing the necessity of officers of railroads having full control of their business in order to ensure safety and dispatch in transportation, military officers are prohibited from interfering with the engines, cars, running of trains, or with the control and management in any way of railroads.

II. When transportation of troops or freights by railroad is necessary, a Quartermaster or other authorized officer, shall make requisition for the same upon the superintendent or proper officer of the railroad, furnishing the necessary evidence of transportation, and delivering the troops or freight to be transported.

III. In the event that more freight is to be transported over any road than the road has the ability to carry promptly, the officer furnishing evidence of transportation will indicate to the railroad officer what shall take precedence. In the absence of any special order as to what freight shall go first the railroad officer shall be governed by any General order the Quartermaster General may issue in regard thereto.

IV. When troops or freight is to be moved out of the usual routine of a railroad, the officer having charge of such movement, will fix with the superintendent or other officer of the road on which the movement is to be made the day and hour of departure, and when so fixed, the troops or freight must be ready at the appointed time.

V. In the event of any military necessity for an unusual movement at any particular point the commanding officer at such a post will communicate fully the character and extent of service, to the principal officer of the road or roads from which it is required, and ask the personal supervision of the proper railroad officers to the duty.

VI. Quartermasters and Commissaries will exercise discretion in shipping freight not wanted for immediate use, and that may be stored at safe and convenient points,—taking care not to block up roads and thereby impede transportation.

VII. When it is necessary to send a special messenger with freight, such messenger must travel with the freight placed in his charge, and his transportation shall be so specified on its face, in order to prevent him from travelling in any other way.

VIII. Enrolling officers will permit conscripts, enrolled while in the employment of railroads, to remain at their duties until Colonel William M. Wadley, A. A. G., decides as to who of them it is necessary should be detailed for service on the road.

IX. Any violation of these orders, or remissness on the part of railroad officers to perform promptly all Government transportation will be reported to Colonel William M. Wadley, A. A. G., who will indicate from time to time where his headquarters will be.

By order:

(Signed) S. COOPER,
Adjutant and Inspector General.

Jan 12-1w

SOAP GREASE.

PERSONS WISHING TO MANUFACTURE SOAP can obtain the necessary material from C. H. Thompson, M. S. K., by applying at the N. C. Depot. One half the amount given will be charged in exchange for the Soap received.

T. D. HOGG,
Captain and C. S.

Dec 29-tf

[illegible]

RALEIGH, N. C.

[illegible]

GASTON HOUSE.

[illegible]

MEALS READY ON ARRIVAL OF THE [illegible]

[illegible] ATTACHED.

[illegible] the public may expect

GOOD FARE.

Attentive Servants, [illegible] with every other comfort found in a SOUTHERN HOTEL.

[illegible]

(Late of the Atlantic House, [illegible], N. C.)

Jan [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] GRISWOLD'S HOTEL.

[illegible]

[illegible] North.

[illegible]

A good Barber Shop is attached to the Hotel.

[illegible] on the arrival of the Cars. [illegible] The Cars leave daily.

nov 11 SUSAN A. GRISWOLD & CO.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NORTH CAROLINA CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

NEW SERIES.

IT IS CONTEMPLATED TO RESUME THE PUBlication of the *North Carolina Christian Advocate* at an early day, under the patronage of the North Carolina Conference, and under the direction and ownership of a joint stock Company, composed of Ministers and laymen, to secure its permanency.

It will be as its name imports, a Christian Advocate. It will sustain and defend the doctrines and discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and labor to advance Christ's kingdom on earth, and to promote peace and good will among all men.

Besides its distinct, religious character, it shall be the advocate of the moral, educational and industrial progress of North Carolina—a welcome visitor to every family and to the camps of our brave soldiers, and a faithful chronicler of [illegible] useful and interesting, [illegible] of the current news.

All our travelling and local ministers and the stockholders of the Company, are specially requested to act as Agents for the paper.

The old subscribers of the Advocate will be supplied with the new series, to the full amount due them at the time of its suspension. But as the mail books are not in the possession of the Editor, he must rely on the old subscribers themselves and the Agents, to furnish him with their names and post offices and the amount due them.

The Advocate will be well printed on good paper, and will contain an amount of reading matter equal to any paper in the State.

During the continuance of war prices, the subscription price will be $3 per annum, always in advance.

Agents who send us ten or more new subscribers and the cash, will be entitled to a copy of the paper for one year. It is desirable that a large list be sent in at once.

Address WM. E. PELL, Editor,
Raleigh, N. C. Jan. 2, 1863.

NORTH CAROLINA SIX PER CENT. COUPON BONDS.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Dec 28, 1862.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until 10 o'clock, A. M., 28th of Jan. next, for the purchase of TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS of Bonds, issued by the State of North Carolina, dated Jan. 1st, 1863, running thirty years, and payable at this Department.

The above Bonds will have Coupons attached, for interest at six per cent. per annum, payable 1st of July and 1st of January in each year.

Successful bidders, upon being informed of the acceptance of their bids, can deposite the amount of their bids, including the interest accrued thereon, to the credit of the Public Treasurer, in the Bank of North Carolina or Bank of Cape Fear, Raleigh.

Parties bidding will please address their letters, endorsed "Proposals for N. C. Bonds," to the Public Treasurer, at Raleigh, N. C.

The bids will be opened in the presence of the Governor, Secretary and Comptroller of State, and the President of the Bank of North Carolina.

Dec 31-td JONATHAN WORTH, Pub. Treas.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RUNAWAY FROM THE UNDERSIGNED, ON THE 25th December, a negro boy named ANDERSON, about twenty-five years old, perfectly black—heavy set, and weight from 175 to 190 pounds when he left.—He has been hand-cuffed. Said boy is supposed to have been taken by Mr. Lewis, of Sampson county, N. C.—When he left he had on a blue jacket and white pants, very ragged; has good teeth and speaks freely. I bought him of Mr. [illegible] P. Robinson, of Augusta, Ga., on the 19th instant, and was on my way to Richmond, Va., and had to lay over in Raleigh on account of not being able to get passage. I was camped by the side of the Railroad track. He left about dark.

I will pay the above reward to any person who will deliver said boy to any jail for safe-keeping so that I can get him. Any information will be thankfully received.

SOLOMON COHEN,
Care John B. Davis, Richmond, Va.

Dec 26-1m*

I STRIVE TO PLEASE.

G. A. LACK,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
PROCTOR'S OLD STAND,
Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C.

On "Ugly Row," opposite Lougee's, "Hard by Towles."

WOULD INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT HE HAS on hand at all times a large assortment of CITIZENS and MILITARY CLOTHING, and having procured the services of the immortal C. M. FARRISS, known as the best and most tasty CUTTER in the South, all work will be done under his supervision. I hope to receive a liberal patronage.

G. A. LACK.

Dec 5-tf

WANTED—DRS. HOLLAND AND ABERNATHY wish to hire a NEGRO BOY. Apply to them at Peace Institute Hospital. Jan 6-tf

BLOUNT'S CREEK MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

SELL SHEETING 4-4 30 CENTS PER YARD;
OSNABURGS, 25 cents per yard;
COTTON YARN, $3 per bunch.

Dec 3-tf GEO. McNEILL, [illegible]

BRISTLES! BRISTLES! BRISTLES!

ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS WILL BE paid per pound for BRISTLES, at
P. THIEM'S STORE,
Next to Towles'.

Nov. 27-[illegible]

I WISH TO PURCHASE ONE OR TWO CITY LOTS, with good improvements. Would prefer them near the Central Depot. Apply to

Dec 19-tf J. H. KIRKHAM.

[illegible]

... such force as the enemy ... Arkansas Post. It is an old French post, and is accessible to gunboats or other craft, and only about sixty miles from the mouth of Arkansas river. We may have had a small garrison there and a gunboat ... [illegible]

[illegible] ... destroyed the gunboat, shows what may be done on our rivers by [illegible] daring; and if we had such a commander [illegible] cavalry in the eastern part of this State, the enemy might be run out of all our small rivers. [illegible] gunboats and transports might [illegible] destroyed [illegible] in Neuse river [illegible] and should they ever attempt [illegible] we hope it will be done. The same damage [illegible] the enemy on the Chowan and other small rivers with the proper means used.

The Rev. [illegible] has undertaken to conduct a Missionary Station in the Church formerly known as Nevel's Church in this city, now the property of the "Young Men's Christian Association."

There are [illegible] congregation that attend this church, as in [illegible] other congregations, [illegible] perhaps a larger proportion [illegible]. The object of [illegible] the christian public [illegible] contributions of [illegible] fuel, etc., [illegible] cheerfully [illegible] the families of poor soldiers, [illegible]

If [illegible] deposited in any convenient place in the city [illegible] be sent [illegible] Mr. [illegible] near the Church.

VACANCIES IN THE COMMONS.—Writs of election have been issued to fill the vacancies in the Commons caused by the death of Mr. Barrow from Craven, and the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Baldwin [illegible] the House, from Columbus. Elections are to be held in both these counties on the [illegible] instant.

[illegible] Ives, Esq., is announced in the advertising columns as a candidate to fill the vacancy from Craven.

[illegible] that all persons leaving the city have to procure passports from the [illegible] office. The office is on the [illegible]

[illegible] on the 17th inst. [illegible] one hundred and thirty-two dollars twenty-five cents [illegible]

[illegible] ADDRESS TO HIS ARMY.

The following [illegible] Gen. [illegible] to his army, just after the [illegible]

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY OF TENNESSEE,
WINCHESTER, Jan. 8th, 1863.

Soldiers of the Army of Tennessee:

Your gallant deeds have won the admiration of your General, your Government and your Country.— For myself I thank you and am proud of you [illegible]

[illegible] on thousand prisoners [illegible] You have [illegible] captured eight hundred wagons, loaded chiefly with supplies, [illegible] and in planted [illegible] you have driven the enemy before you, inflicting a loss at least three to one greater than you have sustained.

[illegible]

[illegible] in common with you, the [illegible] Let their memories be cherished [illegible] by their countrymen. Let it be yours to avenge their [illegible] Remember [illegible]

[illegible] your General's life [illegible] the commander of an army [illegible] invincible [illegible] have proven. [illegible] to share their trials, and to stand or fall with them, will be the [illegible] of his ambition.

BRAXTON BRAGG,
General Commanding.

Official:
Geo. Wm. Brent, A. A. G.

[illegible] of Virginia, [illegible] the old whig party [illegible]

[illegible] Charleston, S. C.

Major General S. G. French, Commanding [illegible] Petersburg, Va.:

GENERAL:—I have the honor to enclose copy of [illegible] his Excellency [illegible] Stanly, Military Governor of North Carolina. [illegible] letter explains itself, and I have merely to request [illegible] to their owners.

I also beg leave to enclose a slip from the Raleigh Standard [illegible] prisoners [illegible] contrary to their parole of war.

[illegible] during the latter part of November, [illegible] Washington, N. C. [illegible] watch [illegible] every [illegible] your power will you please have this matter [illegible] I remain General, Very respectfully, Your obedient Servant,

J. G. FOSTER,
Major Gen'l Commanding.

FROM EDWARD STANLY.
(Copy.)
DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Newbern, Dec. 20th, 1862.

To Major Gen. Foster, Commanding, &c.:

GENERAL:—I have been informed, that a portion of the forces of the [illegible]

[illegible]

I have the honor to be, &c.
(Signed) EDWARD STANLY,
Military Governor, &c.

GEN. FRENCH'S REPLY.

WELDON, NORTH CAROLINA,
January 6th, 1863.

Major General J. G. Foster, U. S. A., Commanding 18th Army Corps, Newbern, N. Carolina:

GENERAL: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 31st ult., and a copy of a letter addressed to you by Edward Stanly, who styles himself Military Governor of North Carolina.

In relation to prisoners of war who have been paroled, I can say, never to my knowledge have they been, nor have I ever heard of their being employed in the performance of any duty for the Government. As my Government has so faithfully respected the parole of prisoners, I am the more astonished that you should have brought a merely [illegible] rumor that came to the ears of the editor of the Raleigh Standard, to my notice, when [illegible] from the War Department of the United States [illegible] paroled prisoners [illegible] recruits, [illegible] in the rear of the army [illegible]

While our people, [illegible] the extract you find [illegible] would [illegible] such violation of a parole of honor, I [illegible] that the prisoners that we [illegible] captured [illegible] should [illegible] to Minnesota to repel the Indians [illegible] with your people.

You asked me to answer, "whether the acts complained of by Governor Stanly have my sanction, and whether [illegible] to know, the [illegible] mentioned will be [illegible] to their masters." His allegation is that [illegible] forces recently [illegible] the vicinity of Washington, and among other [illegible] citizens, they [illegible] carried away [illegible] M. Bowen [illegible] took away several [illegible] had been faithful to him, and whom he [illegible] humanely [illegible] the defence attempted for the African slave trade, that "it has brought [illegible] under the influence of christianity and civilization," [illegible] this our forces did invade the vicinity of Washington, and the officer in command did report to me that he brought out with him some negroes.

Mr. Stanly is a representative of the U. States Government, and I take it for granted speaks by authority, and if it be the determination of your government to deliver up to their owners the hundred thousand slaves you have stolen from "kind and humane masters," I am sure my government will immediately upon this one little act of "robbery" to be discountenanced, and cause the negroes to be returned, and then return to their "kind masters their property," and to this end I will transmit to the proper authorities your communication and Mr. Stanly's letter.

As it is an acknowledged principle among civilized nations to respect private property in lands, I am sure my government will hail this as an evidence that [illegible] of their private property.

I [illegible] as much as Mr. Stanly does, this taking of civilized beings from their families and homes, and depriving owners of their property, and I would it were the only robbery of the kind that has occurred; but so many have been committed by the forces of the United States, that it is now regarded as a [illegible] and proper, "fit and necessary war measure," by your government.

Mr. Stanly says, the "voice of civil authority [illegible] has no longer [illegible] potency. [illegible] I will do all in my power to have [illegible] negroes delivered up to those to whom their services may be due," and will, in every way, discountenance [illegible] negro stealing. [illegible] people of North Carolina [illegible]

I do not think the town of Plymouth was [illegible] and [illegible] burned, but as reported [illegible] house was fired in which your troops made a stand, and from which they fired on our soldiers. [illegible] things will happen in war and often for no [illegible]

[illegible]

J J Perkins, Co. [illegible]

[illegible]

51th N C [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] It is said he made $2,500 a day for his ginger-cakes, apples, &c., [illegible]

[illegible]

It is not a wonder that [illegible]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HEADQUARTERS [illegible]
Examining Board [illegible] Conscripts [illegible]
[illegible] N. C., January [illegible]

CONSCRIPTS OFFICERS OF MILITIA [illegible] Counties of Carteret, Jones, Craven, [illegible] between the ages of 18 and [illegible] years, belonging to their [illegible]

[illegible]

Carteret, Jones and Craven being within the enemy's lines, no appointments are made in those Counties.

HENRY J. MACON,
Asst. Surg. P. A. C. S.
[illegible] Examining Board,
3d Congressional Dist. of N. C.

[illegible] Jan 21-1w

Provost Marshal's Office,
RALEIGH, Jan. 20, 1863.

PERSONS LEAVING THIS CITY ARE REQUIRED to get Passports from the proper authority; therefore, all those wishing to leave can call at my office, over Messrs Williams & Haywood's Drug Store, on Fayetteville street. Office hours (on Sunday) from 11 o'clock A. M., to 12 M., and from 3 to 4 P. M.

ROBERT R. WALKER,
Provost Marshal.

Jan 21-1m

A FEW MEMBERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with comfortable rooms and good board at moderate rates, by applying to

FRANK I. WILSON.

Jan 20-1t

EXTRACT LOGWOOD.

2,000 POUNDS EXTRACT LOGWOOD, JUST received for sale by

PRATT, DOWIE & JAMES,
Charleston, S. C.

Dec 27-1m*

BOARD! BOARD! BOARD!

GOOD BOARD AND PLEASANT ROOMS MAY BE had in one of the most central and pleasant parts of the city by applying immediately to [illegible]

Jan 19-3t

L. J. GUILMARTIN,
DEALER IN
WOOL, HIDES, TALLOW AND WAX,
[illegible]
SAVANNAH, GEORGIA.

A SUPPLY OF THE ABOVE ARTICLES [illegible] on hand. [illegible]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ELECTION NOTICE.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE CAPT. [illegible] IVES as a candidate to represent the county of Craven in the House of Commons, in the place of Sergeant Barrow, deceased, a writ of election having been issued for said county, to fill the vacancy.

Jan 21-3t.

TAKE NOTICE.

ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE [illegible] AGRICULTURAL [illegible]

Jan 21-1t* C. [illegible] HARRIS, Sec'y.

LOST.

MONDAY EVENING, BETWEEN COOK'S BOARDing House and the Fair Grounds, a GOLD BELT BUCKLE. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at Mr. Cook's, or at Major Pierce's office.

Jan 20-3t

GOLD NECK CHAIN LOST.

LOST, ON THE 18TH, BETWEEN FAYETTEVILLE street and the grave yard, a GOLD NECK CHAIN with cross attached. A liberal reward will be paid on delivery at the Progress Office. Jan 20-3t

DR. W. F. BASON, DENTIST,

MAY BE FOUND AT HIS DENTAL OFFICE OVER Mr. P. F. Pescud's Drug Store. Jan 17-6t

NOTICE.

ALL WHO ARE INDEBTED TO US ON OPEN ACcount will please call and pay or bond the same.

Jan 17-1m WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

NOTICE.

RUNAWAY FROM [illegible] LOUISA and MATILDA—the property of Mr. Green, of Pasquotank county, N. C. [illegible] them. Both of said negroes [illegible] Louisa is [illegible] Matilda is rather slim, with dark eyes and black hair, I suppose between 14 and 16 years old. I understand [illegible] Raleigh and Durham's Station, [illegible] to get to the Yankees. Any information will be thankfully received.

R. T. BERRY,
[illegible], N. C.

Jan 20-[illegible]

LOST.

IN THE RECENT [illegible] FROM GOLDSBORO', on the occasion of the battle [illegible] TRUNK [illegible] delivery to the Railroad Agent [illegible] Goldsboro', N. C.

[illegible]